

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

## **ACCOUNTANCY, CALIFORNIA BOARD OF**

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Sacramento, CA 95815-3832  
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Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov/cba](http://www.dca.ca.gov/cba)  
Email: [editor@cba.ca.gov](mailto:editor@cba.ca.gov)

Protects consumers by regulating California's Certified Public Accountants and Public Accountants (CPA). Sets standards for entry into this profession, qualifies candidates for the Uniform CPA Exam, and investigates illegal activity by practitioners.

## **ACUPUNCTURE BOARD**

444 North 3rd Street, Suite 260  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-3021  
Fax: (916) 445-3015  
Web Site: [www.acupuncture.ca.gov](http://www.acupuncture.ca.gov)  
Email: [acupuncture@dca.ca.gov](mailto:acupuncture@dca.ca.gov)

Protects and educates the public through regulation of licensure, education standards, and enforcement of the Acupuncture Licensure Act, which includes Oriental Medicine.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE LAW, OFFICE OF**

300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1250  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-6225  
Fax: (916) 323-6826  
Web Site: [www.oal.ca.gov](http://www.oal.ca.gov)  
Email: [staff@oal.ca.gov](mailto:staff@oal.ca.gov)

Reviews administrative regulations proposed by state regulatory agencies and publishes regulations in the California Code of Regulations.

## **AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM, CALIFORNIA**

600 State Drive, Exposition Park  
Los Angeles, CA 90037  
Telephone: (213) 744-7432; RSVP (213) 744-2056  
Fax: (213) 892-1321  
Web site: [www.caam.ca.gov](http://www.caam.ca.gov)

The museum is a state-supported, non-profit institution that focuses on the history and contributions of Californian African-Americans.

## **AGING, CALIFORNIA COMMISSION ON**

1600 K Street, 4th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-5630  
Fax: (916) 327-1859  
Web Site: [www.calaging.org](http://www.calaging.org)  
Email: [ccoa@ccoa.ca.gov](mailto:ccoa@ccoa.ca.gov)

Twenty-five member commission which advocates on behalf of older individuals, including, but not limited to, advisory participation in the consideration of all legislation and regulations made by state and federal departments and agencies relating to programs and services that affect older individuals.

## **AGING, DEPARTMENT OF**

1600 K Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-3887  
Fax: (916) 324-4989  
Web Site: [www.aging.ca.gov](http://www.aging.ca.gov)

Oversees laws and regulations relating to the dignity, independence, health, and community involvement of older Californians, family caregivers, and disabled adults.

## **AGRICULTURAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

915 Capitol Mall, Third Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-3699 or (800) 449-3699  
Fax: (916) 653-8750  
Web Site: [www.alrb.ca.gov](http://www.alrb.ca.gov)

Works toward guaranteeing justice for all agricultural workers and stability in agricultural labor relations. Provides orderly processes for protecting, implementing, and enforcing the respective rights and responsibilities of employees, employers, and labor organizations in their relations with each other.

## **AIDS, OFFICE OF**

1616 Capitol Ave, Suite 616  
Sacramento, CA 95899-7426  
Mailing Address: MS-7700, PO Box 997426,  
Sacramento, CA 95899-7426  
Telephone: (916) 449-5900  
Fax (916) 449-5909  
Web Site: [www.dhs.ca.gov/aids/default.htm](http://www.dhs.ca.gov/aids/default.htm)  
Email: [ooa-web@dhs.ca.gov](mailto:ooa-web@dhs.ca.gov)

Coordinates state programs, services, and activities relating to HIV/AIDS.

## **AIR RESOURCES BOARD**

1001 "I" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-5840  
Fax: (916) 327-5748  
Web Site: [www.arb.ca.gov](http://www.arb.ca.gov)  
Email: [helpline@arb.ca.gov](mailto:helpline@arb.ca.gov)

Controls vehicular sources of air pollution, assists local air pollution control districts with non-vehicular (stationary source) pollution. Controls air-quality standards and monitors ambient air quality to insure standards are maintained.

## **ALCOHOL AND DRUG PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENT OF**

1700 K Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-1943  
Fax: (916) 323-5873  
Web Site: [www.adp.ca.gov](http://www.adp.ca.gov)  
Email: [ExternalAffairs@adp.state.ca.us](mailto:ExternalAffairs@adp.state.ca.us)

Implements state efforts to reduce alcohol and other drug problems by developing, administering, and supporting prevention and treatment programs.

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## **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL, DEPARTMENT OF**

3927 Lennane Drive, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95834  
Telephone: (916) 419-2500  
Fax: (916) 419-2599  
Web Site: [www.abc.ca.gov](http://www.abc.ca.gov)  
Email: [cust.serv@abc.ca.gov](mailto:cust.serv@abc.ca.gov)

Issues licenses and administers the laws and rules governing the manufacture, importation, distribution, and sale of alcoholic beverages.

## **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL APPEALS BOARD**

300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1245  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-4005  
Fax: (916) 323-2760  
Web Site: [www.abcappealsbd.ca.gov](http://www.abcappealsbd.ca.gov)  
Email: [abcboard@abcappeals.ca.gov](mailto:abcboard@abcappeals.ca.gov)

Three-person board hears appeals of decisions rendered by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, and issues orders either affirming or denying those decisions.

## **ALTERNATIVE ENERGY AND ADVANCED TRANSPORTATION FINANCING AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 457  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-5610  
Fax: (916) 657-4821

Finances development of advanced transportation technologies and facilities that use new energy sources and technologies.

## **ARCHITECTS BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

400 R Street, Suite 4000  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-3394  
Fax: (916) 445-8524  
Web Site: [www.cab.ca.gov](http://www.cab.ca.gov)  
Email: [cab@dca.ca.gov](mailto:cab@dca.ca.gov)

Ensures that those entering architectural practice meet standards of competency through education, experience, and examination; establishes standards for those licensed to practice architecture; requires that any person practicing or offering to practice architecture is licensed; protects consumers and users of architectural services; and enforces the laws, codes, and standards governing architectural practice.

## **ARCHIVES, CALIFORNIA STATE**

1020 "O" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Reference Desk: (916) 653-2246  
General Information: (916) 653-7715  
Fax: (916) 653-7363  
E-Mail: [ArchivesWeb@ss.ca.gov](mailto:ArchivesWeb@ss.ca.gov)

Provides a repository for the state's permanent governmental records as well as other materials documenting California history. Collects, catalogs, preserves, and provides access to the historic records of state government and some local governments. Administers an oral history program that documents state government policies through interviews with state government officials and others.

## **ARTS COUNCIL, CALIFORNIA**

1300 "I" Street, Suite 930  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-6555  
Fax: (916) 322-6575  
Web Site: [www.cac.ca.gov](http://www.cac.ca.gov)

Makes available and accessible quality art reflecting all of California's diverse cultures; supports the state's broad economic, educational, and social goals through the arts; provides leadership for all levels of the arts community; and presents effective programs that add further dimension to our cities, schools, jobs, and creative spirit.

## **ATHLETIC COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA STATE**

1424 Howe Avenue, Suite 33  
Sacramento, CA 95825  
Telephone: (916) 263-2195  
Fax: (916) 263-2197  
Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov/csac](http://www.dca.ca.gov/csac)  
Email: [boxing@dca.ca.gov](mailto:boxing@dca.ca.gov)

Administers a safe environment for boxing, kickboxing, and martial arts, regulates competitive sports events, and protects the health and welfare of all participants.

## **AUDITS, BUREAU OF STATE**

555 Capitol Mall, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-0255  
Fax: (916) 323-0913  
Web Site: [www.bsa.ca.gov/bsa/](http://www.bsa.ca.gov/bsa/)

Promotes the efficient and effective management of public funds and programs by providing to citizens and government independent, objective, accurate, and timely evaluations of state or local government's activities; performs audits that are mandated by law as well as audits requested by legislators and approved by the Joint Legislative Audit Committee; investigates allegations related to improper activities by state employees or agencies as required by the California Whistleblower Protection Act.

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## **AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, BUREAU OF**

10240 Systems Parkway  
Sacramento, CA 95827  
Telephone: (916) 255-4300 or 800-952-5210 (within CA)  
Fax: (916) 255-1369  
Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov](http://www.dca.ca.gov) or [www.autorepair.ca.gov](http://www.autorepair.ca.gov)  
or [www.smogcheck.ca.gov](http://www.smogcheck.ca.gov)  
Email: [barmaster@dca.ca.gov](mailto:barmaster@dca.ca.gov)

Registers and regulates automotive repair facilities, licenses smog check and lamp and break inspection stations. During the 2002/2003 Fiscal Year, negotiated \$5.2 million worth of refunds, rework, or adjustments from auto repair shops on behalf of consumers.

## **BAY-DELTA AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

650 Capitol Mall, 5th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-5511  
Web Site: [www.calwater.ca.gov](http://www.calwater.ca.gov)

Develops and implements a long-term comprehensive plan that will restore ecological health and improve water management for beneficial uses of the Bay-Delta System.

## **BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES, BOARD OF**

400 R Street, Suite 3150  
Sacramento, CA 95814-6240  
Telephone: (916) 445-4933  
Fax: (916) 323-0707  
Web Site: [www.bbs.ca.gov](http://www.bbs.ca.gov)  
Email: [BBSWebMaster@bbs.ca.gov](mailto:BBSWebMaster@bbs.ca.gov)

Registers associate clinical social workers, marriage and family therapist interns, licensed marriage and family therapists, licensed clinical social workers, and licensed educational psychologists. Administers written exams for each of its licensing programs, develops regulatory standards, conducts an enforcement program which investigates complaints, and imposes disciplinary action who violate the laws and regulations.

## **BIODIVERSITY COUNCIL, CALIFORNIA**

1300 U Street  
Sacramento, CA 95818  
Telephone: (916) 445-5845  
Fax: (916) 324-1180  
Web Site: [www.ceres.ca.gov/biodiversity](http://www.ceres.ca.gov/biodiversity)

Discusses, coordinates, and assists in developing strategies and policies for conserving biodiversity.

## **BOATING AND WATERWAYS, DEPARTMENT OF**

2000 Evergreen Street, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95815  
Telephone: (916) 263-4326  
Fax: (916) 263-0648  
Web Site: [www.dbw.ca.gov](http://www.dbw.ca.gov)  
Email: [pubinfo@dbw.ca.gov](mailto:pubinfo@dbw.ca.gov)

Promotes recreational boating safety and develops safe and convenient public boating access. Makes loans to local government and private sector marina owners for the development of small craft harbors; makes grants to public agencies for boat launching facilities; plans, designs, and constructs boating facilities on State-owned lands; provides financial aid and officer training to local boating law enforcement agencies; and licenses yacht and ship brokers and for-hire vessel operators.

## **BUILDING STANDARDS COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

2525 Natomas Park Drive, Suite 130  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-0916  
Fax: (916) 263-0959  
Web Site: [www.bsc.ca.gov](http://www.bsc.ca.gov)  
Email: [cbcs@dgs.ca.gov](mailto:cbcs@dgs.ca.gov)

Publishes the state's building codes, and ensures that changes proposed by state agencies comply with the state's administrative procedures of adopting building standards.

## **BUSINESS, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING AGENCY**

980 9th Street, Room 2450  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-5400  
Web Site: [www.bth.ca.gov](http://www.bth.ca.gov)

Oversees programs that plan, build, and maintain California's transportation systems, that ensure efficient and fair markets for the real estate industry, and that assist state and community efforts to expand the availability of affordable housing for a growing workforce. Also, regulates managed health care plans as well as the banking, and financial and securities industries.

## **CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES, CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF**

PO Box 419064  
Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9064  
Telephone: (916) 464-5000 or 866-249-0773 (Toll Free)  
Fax: (916) 464-5062  
Web Site: [www.childsup.ca.gov](http://www.childsup.ca.gov)  
Email: [cspsirt@dcss.ca.gov](mailto:cspsirt@dcss.ca.gov)

Promotes the well-being of children and the self-sufficiency of families by delivering child support establishment, collection, and distribution services that help both parents meet the financial, medical, and emotional needs of their children.

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## **CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS, BOARD OF**

2525 Natomas Park Drive, Suite 260  
Sacramento, CA 95833-2931  
Telephone: (916) 263-5355  
Consumer Complaint Hotline: (866) 543-1311  
Fax: (916) 263-5369  
Web Site: [www.chiro.ca.gov](http://www.chiro.ca.gov)

Regulates and licenses chiropractors. Sets policies and administers procedures necessary for the protection of the health, welfare, and safety of the public relative to the practice of chiropractors.

## **CITIZENS COMPENSATION COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

1515 S Street, North Building, Suite 400  
Sacramento, CA 95814-7243  
Telephone: (916) 324-9368  
Fax: 916-324-0524

Oversees the salaries and health, dental, and similar group insurance benefits for members of the Legislature, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, Insurance Commissioner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and members of the Board of Equalization.

## **COACHELLA VALLEY MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY**

73710 Fred Waring Drive, Suite 205, Palm Desert, CA 92260  
Phone: (760) 776-5026  
Fax: (760) 776-9698  
Web Site: [www.cvmc.ca.gov](http://www.cvmc.ca.gov)

Protects the mountains surrounding the Coachella Valley, from Palm Springs to the Salton Sea.

## **COASTAL COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

45 Fremont Street, Suite 2000  
San Francisco, CA 94105-2219  
Telephone: (415) 904-5200  
Fax: (415) 904-5400  
Web Site: [www.coastal.ca.gov](http://www.coastal.ca.gov)

Plans for and regulates land and water uses in the coastal zone according to the policies of the Coastal Act.

## **COASTAL CONSERVANCY, STATE**

1330 Broadway, Suite 1100  
Oakland, CA 94612-2530  
Telephone: (510) 286-1015  
Fax: (510) 286-0470  
Web Site: [www.coastalconservancy.ca.gov](http://www.coastalconservancy.ca.gov)  
Email: [dwayman@scc.ca.gov](mailto:dwayman@scc.ca.gov)

Protects and improves coastal and San Francisco Bay natural and recreational resources. It works in partnership with local governments, other public agencies, nonprofit organizations, and private landowners.

## **COLORADO RIVER BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

770 Fairmont Avenue, Suite 100  
Glendale, CA 91203-1035  
Telephone: (818) 543-4676  
Fax: (818) 543-4685  
Web Site: [www.crb.ca.gov](http://www.crb.ca.gov)  
Email: [crb@crb.ca.gov](mailto:crb@crb.ca.gov)

Protects California's rights and interest in the resources provided by the Colorado River. Represents California in discussions and negotiations regarding the Colorado River and its management.

## **COMMUNITY COLLEGES, CALIFORNIA**

Office of the State Chancellor  
1102 Q Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-8752  
Fax: (916) 322-4783  
Web Site: [www.cccco.edu](http://www.cccco.edu)

Provides leadership and technical assistance to community colleges and community college districts in California. Also allocates state funding to community colleges and districts.

## **COMMUNITY SERVICES AND DEVELOPMENT, DEPARTMENT OF**

700 North Tenth Street, Room 246A  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 341-4200  
Fax: (916) 327-3153 or (916) 341-4203  
Web Site: [www.csd.ca.gov](http://www.csd.ca.gov)

Develops resources that California's low-income communities need to move from poverty to self-sufficiency by collaborating with a network of community services providers and other public and private organizations.

## **COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND, STATE**

1275 Market Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103  
Telephone: (415) 565-1234  
Web Site: [www.scif.com](http://www.scif.com)

Provides California employers with a permanent market for workers' compensation insurance protection. Assists employers in providing safe places to work. Helps rehabilitate injured workers.

## **CONSERVATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

801 K Street, 24<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-1080  
Fax: (916) 445-0732  
Web Site: [www.conservation.ca.gov](http://www.conservation.ca.gov)  
Email: [webmaster@consvr.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@consvr.ca.gov)

Protects California's earth resources through the promotion, conservation and wise use of the state's land, energy, and mineral resources.

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## **CONSERVATION CORPS, CALIFORNIA**

1719 24<sup>th</sup> Street  
Sacramento, CA 95816  
Telephone: (916) 341-3100  
Fax: (916) 323-4989  
Web Site: [www.ccc.ca.gov](http://www.ccc.ca.gov)  
Email: [info@ccc.ca.gov](mailto:info@ccc.ca.gov)

Works for the employment and development of youth, and the protection and enhancement of the state's natural resources.

## **CONSUMER AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF**

400 R Street, #3000  
Sacramento, CA 95814-6200  
Telephone: (916) 445-1254; (916) 445-4465  
Fax: (916) 323-6639  
Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov](http://www.dca.ca.gov)  
Email: [dca@dca.ca.gov](mailto:dca@dca.ca.gov)

Promotes and protects the interests of California consumers. Helps consumers learn how to protect themselves from unscrupulous and unqualified individuals. Protects professionals from unfair competition by unlicensed practitioners.

## **CONTRACTORS STATE LICENSE BOARD**

9821 Business Park Drive  
Sacramento, CA 95827  
Telephone: 800-321-2752  
Web Site: [www.cslb.ca.gov](http://www.cslb.ca.gov)

Protects consumers by regulating the construction industry through policies that promote the health, safety and general welfare of the public in matters relating to construction.

## **CORPORATIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

1515 K Street, Suite 200  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: 1 (866) ASK-CORP or (866) 275-2677  
Fax: (916) 445-7975  
Web Site: [www.corp.ca.gov](http://www.corp.ca.gov)

Licenses and regulates securities brokers and dealers, investment advisers and financial planners, independent escrow agents, non-depository consumers, and commercial and residential mortgage lenders. The Department also regulates the offer and sales of securities, franchises, and off-exchange commodities.

## **CORRECTIONAL PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING, COMMISSION ON**

3161 Dwight Road  
Elk Grove, CA 95758  
Telephone: (916) 262-1901  
Fax: (916) 262-1955  
Web Site: [www.cpost.ca.gov](http://www.cpost.ca.gov)

Enhances the training and professionalism of California's state correctional peace officers through the development of sound selection practices and effective competency-based training programs.

## **CORRECTIONS, BOARD OF**

600 Bercut Drive  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-5073  
Fax: (916) 327-3317  
Web Site: [www.bdcorr.ca.gov](http://www.bdcorr.ca.gov)

Develops and maintains, in partnership with city and county officials, standards for the construction and operation of local jails and juvenile detention facilities, as well as standards for the employment and training of local corrections and probation personnel. Assists local corrections facilities and programs in their efforts to remain in compliance with these standards.

## **CORRECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

1515 S Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 942883, Sacramento, CA 94283  
Telephone: (916) 323-3593  
Web Site: [www.corr.ca.gov](http://www.corr.ca.gov)

Operates all state prisons, oversees a variety of community correctional facilities, and supervises all parolees during their re-entry into society.

## **COURT REPORTERS BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 230  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-3660  
Fax: (916) 263-3664  
Web Site: [www.courtreportersboard.ca.gov](http://www.courtreportersboard.ca.gov)

Provides users of the judicial system access, consumer education, and consumer protection through regulating and testing of the qualifications, performance, and ethical behavior of certified shorthand reporters and entities regulated by the Board.

## **DEBT AND INVESTMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 400  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-3269  
Fax: (916) 654-7440  
Web Site: [www.treasurer.ca.gov/cdiac](http://www.treasurer.ca.gov/cdiac)

Provides information, education and technical assistance on public debt, investments, and economic development financing tools to local public agencies and other public finance professionals.

## **DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 311  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-3255  
Web Site: [www.treasurer.ca.gov/cdlac](http://www.treasurer.ca.gov/cdlac)

Establishes the state ceiling for debt as soon as is practicable after the start of each calendar year and allocates tax-exempt, low-cost financing to private projects of public benefit.



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## **DELTA PROTECTION COMMISSION**

14215 River Road  
Walnut Grove, CA 95690  
Mailing Address: PO Box 530, Walnut Grove, CA 95690  
Telephone: (916) 776-2290  
Fax: (916) 776-2293  
Web Site: [www.delta.ca.gov](http://www.delta.ca.gov)

Prepares a regional plan for the Delta.

## **DENTAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

1432 Howe Avenue, Suite 85  
Sacramento, CA 95825-3241  
Telephone: (916) 263-2300  
Fax: (916) 263-2140  
Web Site: [www.dbc.ca.gov](http://www.dbc.ca.gov)

Protects California consumers by licensing dental health care professionals who demonstrate competency and by taking appropriate action whenever licensees fail to maintain the standard of practice.

## **DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, STATE COUNCIL ON**

2000 "O" Street, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-8481  
Fax: (916) 443-4957  
Web Site: [www.scdd.ca.gov](http://www.scdd.ca.gov)

A federally-funded independent state agency that assists in planning, coordinating, monitoring and evaluating services for individuals with developmental disabilities and their families.

## **DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

1600 9th Street, Room 240, MS-2-13  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-1897  
Fax: (916) 654-2167  
Web Site: [www.dds.ca.gov](http://www.dds.ca.gov)

Provides services and programs to children and adults with developmental disabilities that include mental retardation, cerebral palsy, epilepsy, autism, and other related conditions.

## **EDUCATION, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY FOR**

1121 L Street, Suite 600  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-0611  
Fax: (916) 323-7132  
Web Site: [www.ose.ca.gov](http://www.ose.ca.gov)

The Secretary for Education, a member of the Governor's Cabinet, is responsible for advising the Governor and making recommendations on state education policy and legislation.

## **EDUCATION, STATE BOARD OF**

1430 N Street, Room 5111  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 944272, Sacramento 94244-2720  
Telephone: (916) 319-0827  
Fax: (916) 319-0176  
Web Site: [www.cde.ca.gov/board](http://www.cde.ca.gov/board)

Adopts regulations and curriculum frameworks in core subject matter areas; studies and plans education conditions; monitors administration; considers waiver requests; approves academic standards; adopts tests for statewide assessment; reorganizes school districts; assigns numbers to petitions to establish Charter Schools; makes statewide charters; adopts textbooks for kindergarten through grade 8; serves as the State Education Agency in the implementation of federal K-12 programs.

## **EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 590  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-2872  
Fax: (916) 653-2179

Issues revenue bonds to assist private non-profit institutions of higher learning in the expansion and construction of educational facilities.

## **ELECTRICITY OVERSIGHT BOARD**

770 L Street, Suite 1250  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-8601  
Fax: (916) 322-8591  
Web Site: [www.eob.ca.gov](http://www.eob.ca.gov)

Provides regulatory oversight of California's restructured electricity industry. Ensures just and reasonable wholesale prices in the daily markets and files complaints on behalf of ratepayers when needed. Ensures fair market rules. Provides oversight to the California Independent System Operator.

## **ELECTRONIC AND APPLIANCE REPAIR, BUREAU OF**

3485 Orange Grove Avenue  
North Highlands, CA 95660-5595  
Telephone: (916) 574-2069  
Fax: (916) 574-2120  
Web Site: [www.bear.ca.gov](http://www.bear.ca.gov)

Regulates the repair of consumer electronic equipment, major home appliances, and the sale and administration of service contracts to provide consumer protection against fraud, negligence, and false and misleading advertisements.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AUTHORITY**

1930 9<sup>th</sup> Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-4336  
Fax: (916) 324-2875  
Web Site: [www.emsa.ca.gov](http://www.emsa.ca.gov)

Administers a statewide system of coordinated emergency medical care, injury prevention, and disaster medical response.

## **EMERGENCY SERVICES, OFFICE OF**

3650 Schriever Avenue  
Mather, CA 95655  
Mailing Address: PO Box 419047, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9047  
Telephone: (916) 845-8500  
Fax: (916) 845-8511  
Web Site: [www.oes.ca.gov](http://www.oes.ca.gov)

Coordinates overall state agency response to major disasters in support of local government. Responsible for assuring the state's readiness to respond to and recover from natural, manmade, and war-caused emergencies, and for assisting local governments in their emergency preparedness, response and recovery efforts.

## **EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (EDD)**

800 Capitol Mall, Room 5000  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-8210  
Fax: (916) 657-5294  
Web Site: [www.edd.ca.gov](http://www.edd.ca.gov)

Provides services under the Job Service, Unemployment Insurance and Disability Insurance programs. Assists the administration and operation of many job-training programs in the State. Audits and collects employment taxes (i.e., Unemployment Insurance, Disability Insurance, Employment Training and Personal Income Tax).

## **EMPLOYMENT TRAINING PANEL**

1100 J Street, 4th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 327-5640  
Fax: (916) 327-5260  
Web Site: [www.etp.cahwnet.gov](http://www.etp.cahwnet.gov)

Supports the California economy, primarily by funding the retraining of incumbent, frontline workers in companies challenged by out-of-state competition. Funds training for unemployed workers, and prioritizes small businesses, and employers and workers in high unemployment areas of the State.

## **ENERGY COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

1516 9th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-4287  
Web Site: [www.energy.ca.gov](http://www.energy.ca.gov)  
Email: [mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us)

Forecasts future energy needs and keeps historical energy data; licenses thermal power plants 50 megawatts or larger; promotes energy efficiency through appliance and building standards; develops energy technologies; and plans for and directs state response to energy emergencies.

## **ENERGY RESOURCES, CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

1516 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-5106  
Web Site: [www.energy.ca.gov](http://www.energy.ca.gov)

Assesses, advocates and acts through public/private partnerships to improve energy systems that promote a strong economy and a healthy environment.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT, OFFICE OF**

1001 "I" Street, 25th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 4010, Sacramento, CA 95812-4010  
Telephone: (916) 324-7572  
Fax: (916) 327-1097  
Web Site: [www.oehha.ca.gov](http://www.oehha.ca.gov)

Protects and enhances public health and the environment by objective scientific evaluation of risks posed by hazardous substances.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, CALIFORNIA**

1001 "I" Street, 25th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-3846  
Fax: (916) 445-6401  
Web Site: [www.calepa.ca.gov](http://www.calepa.ca.gov)  
Email: [epasecty@calepa.ca.gov](mailto:epasecty@calepa.ca.gov)

Coordinates and prioritizes the State's efforts to protect the environment.

## **EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR, CALIFORNIA**

1600 Exposition Boulevard  
Sacramento, CA 95815  
Telephone: (916) 263-3000  
Web Site: [www.bigfun.org](http://www.bigfun.org)  
Email: [genmgr@calexpo.com](mailto:genmgr@calexpo.com)

Cal Expo hosts numerous events every year under the jurisdiction of the California Department of Food and Agriculture, including a Fourth of July fireworks show, the International Sportsman's Expo, a yearly Jazz Festival, Home and Garden shows, the various cultural festivals and the California State Fair.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING COMMISSION**

455 Golden Gate Avenue, Suite 14500  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: (415) 557-2325  
Fax: (415) 557-0855

Enforces California civil rights laws, bans employment and housing discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, disability, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, and ancestry.

## **FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING, DEPARTMENT OF**

2014 T Street, Suite 210  
Sacramento, CA 95814-5212  
Telephone: (916) 227-2873; Toll-free: (800) 884-1684  
Fax: (916) 227-0421; TTY: (800) 700-2320  
Web Site: [www.dfeh.ca.gov](http://www.dfeh.ca.gov)

Enforces California civil rights laws that prohibit discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations, and acts of hate violence.

## **FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION**

428 J Street, Suite 620  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-5660; (866) ASK-FPPC

Promotes the integrity of representative state and local government in California through fair, impartial interpretation and enforcement of political campaign, lobbying, and conflict of interest laws.

## **FILM COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

7080 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 900  
Hollywood, CA 90028  
Telephone: (323) 860-2960  
Fax: (323) 860-2972  
Web Site: [www.commerce.ca.gov](http://www.commerce.ca.gov)

Enhances California's role as the premier location in the world for motion picture and television production by providing a one-stop shop for filmmakers, issuing permits for filming on state-owned property, providing location assistance, and administering several incentive programs for filming in California.

## **FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF**

State Capitol, Room 1145  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-4141  
Fax: (916) 324-7311  
Web Site: [www.dof.ca.gov](http://www.dof.ca.gov)

Serve as the Governor's chief fiscal policy advisor. Promotes responsible resource allocation through the State's annual financial plan.

## **FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

111 Pine Street, Suite 1100  
San Francisco, CA 94111  
Telephone: (415) 263-8555  
Fax: (415) 989-5310  
Web Site: [www.dfi.ca.gov](http://www.dfi.ca.gov)  
Email: [consumer@dfi.ca.gov](mailto:consumer@dfi.ca.gov)

### Consumer Complaints:

Consumer Information Desk  
1810 13th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (800) 622-0620; (916) 322-0622

Licenses and regulates state-licensed banks, savings and loans, credit unions, industrial banks, offices of foreign banks as well as trust companies, business and industrial development corporations, issuers of travelers checks and payment instruments (money orders), and transmitters of money abroad.

## **FIRE MARSHAL, STATE**

1131 S Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460  
Telephone: (916) 445-8200  
Fax: (916) 445-8509  
Web Site: [www.fire.ca.gov](http://www.fire.ca.gov)

Develops and enforces fire and life safety standards throughout California.

## **FIRST 5 CHILDREN AND FAMILIES COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

501 J Street, Suite 530  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-0056  
Fax: (916) 323-0069  
Web Site: [www.cfcf.ca.gov/](http://www.cfcf.ca.gov/)

Fosters secure and healthy familial relations by integrating health care, quality child-care, parent education, and intervention programs for families at risk.

## **FISH AND GAME, DEPARTMENT OF**

1416 9th Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-7667  
Fax: (916) 653-7387  
Web Site: [www.dfg.ca.gov](http://www.dfg.ca.gov)

Protects, manages, and educates the public about California's diverse populations of wildlife (both game and non-game), their habitats, and threatened native plants. Enforces regulations of the Fish and Game Commission and laws relating to wildlife and habitat. Responds to pollution incidents by working to both prevent such spills and by ensuring prompt clean up and remediation.



# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **FISH AND GAME COMMISSION**

1416 9th Street, Room 1320  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-4899  
Fax: (916) 653-5040  
Web Site: [www.dfg.ca.gov/fg\\_comm](http://www.dfg.ca.gov/fg_comm)

Establishes policies for the guidance of the Department of Fish and Game. Prescribes the terms and conditions under which permits or licenses may be issued by the Department of Fish and Game. Regulates the following aspects of commercial fishing: fish reduction, herring fishery, kelp leases, oyster allotments and shellfish cultivation, abalone, sea urchin, and lobster regulations.

## **FOOD AND AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF**

1220 N Street, Suite 409  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-0433  
Fax: (916) 654-0403  
Web Site: [www.cdffa.ca.gov](http://www.cdffa.ca.gov)  
Email: [officeofpublicaffairs@cdffa.ca.gov](mailto:officeofpublicaffairs@cdffa.ca.gov)

Ensures that safe and quality food reaches the consumer; protects against invasion of exotic pests and diseases; promotes California agriculture and food products at home and abroad; ensures an equitable and orderly marketplace for California's agricultural products; builds coalitions supporting the state's agricultural infrastructure to meet evolving industry needs.

## **FOOD AND AGRICULTURE, STATE BOARD OF**

1220 N Street, Room A-270  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-0433  
Fax: (916) 654-0403  
Web Site: [www.cdffa.ca.gov/cdffa/stateboard/index.htm](http://www.cdffa.ca.gov/cdffa/stateboard/index.htm)  
Email: [kjohnson@cdffa.ca.gov](mailto:kjohnson@cdffa.ca.gov)

Advises the Governor and the Secretary of the Department of Food and Agriculture on agricultural issues and consumer needs. Brings together local, state and federal government officials, agricultural officials, and citizens to discuss issues of concern to California agriculture.

## **FOREST PRODUCTS COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

853 Lincoln Way, Suite 208  
Auburn, CA 95603-4815  
Telephone: (530) 823-2363  
Fax: (530) 823-1850  
Web Site: [www.calforests.org](http://www.calforests.org)  
Email: [cfpc@calforests.org](mailto:cfpc@calforests.org)

Enhances the public's understanding of the benefits of forestry and forest products in California.

## **FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION, DEPARTMENT OF**

1416 9th Street, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460  
Telephone: (916) 653-5123  
Fax: (916) 654-7661  
Web Site: [www.fire.ca.gov](http://www.fire.ca.gov)

Protects the people of California from fires, responds to emergencies, and protects and enhances forest range and watershed value.

## **FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION, STATE BOARD OF**

1416 9th St, Room 1506-14  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 944226, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460  
Telephone: (916) 653-8007  
Fax: (916) 653-0989  
Web Site: [www.fire.ca.gov](http://www.fire.ca.gov)

Provides policy leadership and generates public interest and support in those matters key to the future of the state's forest and rangelands.

## **FRANCHISE TAX BOARD**

PO Box 1468  
Sacramento, CA 95812-1468  
Telephone: (800) 852-5711  
Fax: (916) 845-6614  
Web Site: [www.ftb.ca.gov](http://www.ftb.ca.gov)  
Email: [taxpayeradvocate@ftb.ca.gov](mailto:taxpayeradvocate@ftb.ca.gov)  
or [executiveoffice@ftb.ca.gov](mailto:executiveoffice@ftb.ca.gov)

Collects state personal income, bank, and corporation taxes for the State of California.

## **GAMBLING CONTROL COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

2399 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95833-4231  
Mailing Address: PO Box 526013, Sacramento, CA 95852  
Telephone: (916) 263-0700  
Fax: (916) 263-0452  
Web Site: [www.cgcc.ca.gov](http://www.cgcc.ca.gov)  
Email: [Commission@cgcc.ca.gov](mailto:Commission@cgcc.ca.gov)

Has jurisdiction over operation, concentration, and supervision of gambling establishments and over all persons or things having to do with the operations of gambling establishments in the State of California. The focus of the Commission is to act as the regulatory body over gambling activities in the State, setting policy, establishing regulations, issuing licenses, serving as the adjudicator for license denials recommended by the Division of Gambling Control, and any other related items and issues as they may come before the Commission.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **GENERAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

707 3rd Street  
West Sacramento, CA 95605  
Mailing Address: PO Box 989052, West Sacramento, CA  
95798-9052  
Telephone: (916) 376-5000  
Fax: (916) 376-5005  
Web Site: [www.dgs.ca.gov](http://www.dgs.ca.gov)

Manages and operates central services and business activities of state government. Activities include: the purchase of materials and services; facilities planning, space utilization and leasing operations; buying, selling and developing real estate; engineering, maintenance and landscaping; architectural services; construction inspection; earthquake safety inspection for public schools; air and vehicle travel services and contracts; risk management including insurance and self-insurance; administrative law judges for hearings; local government allocations for school plans, sites, buildings and equipment; long-range statewide planning for office setting; accounting and fiscal services; central duplicating, mail messenger; legislative, agency, and textbook printing, and related activities; auditing and system analysis.

## **GEOLOGISTS AND GEOPHYSICISTS, BOARD FOR**

2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 300A  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-2113  
Fax: (916) 263-2099  
Web Site: [www.geology.ca.gov](http://www.geology.ca.gov)  
Email: [geology@dca.ca.gov](mailto:geology@dca.ca.gov)

Examines and licenses Registered Geologists, Registered Geophysicists, Certified Engineering Geologists and Certified Hydro-geologists in California. The licensure process ensures the public that those individuals licensed and certified have met defined levels of education and experience.

## **HABEAS CORPUS RESOURCE CENTER, CALIFORNIA**

50 Fremont Street, Suite 1800  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
Telephone: (415) 348-3800

Provides legal representation for indigent petitioners in death penalty habeas corpus proceedings before the Supreme Court of California and the federal courts, recruits and trains attorneys to expand the pool of private counsel qualified to accept appointments in death penalty habeas corpus proceedings, and serves as a resource to appointed counsel.

## **HASTINGS COLLEGE OF LAW**

200 McAllister Street  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: (415) 565-4600  
Fax: (415) 565-4825  
Web Site: [www.uchastings.edu](http://www.uchastings.edu)

Founded in 1878 by Serranus Clinton Hastings (the first Chief Justice of California) as University of California's first law school, Hastings College of the Law has been at the center of the legal community in the West.

## **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY, CALIFORNIA**

1600 Ninth Street, Room 460  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-3454  
Fax: (916) 654-3343  
Web Site: [www.chhs.ca.gov](http://www.chhs.ca.gov)

Administers state and federal programs for health care, social services, public assistance, and rehabilitation.

## **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY DATA CENTER**

1651 Alhambra Boulevard  
Sacramento, CA 95816  
Telephone: (916) 739-7500  
Web Site: [www.hhsdc.ca.gov](http://www.hhsdc.ca.gov)

Provides computing, network solutions, electronic messaging, training, and large-scale information technology project management to state departments, counties, and cities throughout California.

## **HEALTH FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Suite 590  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-2799  
Fax: (916) 654-5362

Provides financial assistance to public and non-profit health care providers in our State through loans funded by the issuance of tax-exempt bonds.

## **HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT, OFFICE OF STATEWIDE**

1600 9th Street, Room 433  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-1606  
Fax: (916) 653-1448  
Web site: [www.oshpd.state.ca.us](http://www.oshpd.state.ca.us)  
Email: [mail@oshpd.state.ca.us](mailto:mail@oshpd.state.ca.us)

Promotes healthcare accessibility by analyzing California's healthcare infrastructure, promoting a diverse and competent healthcare workforce, providing information about healthcare outcomes, assuring the safety of buildings used in providing healthcare, insuring loans to encourage the development of healthcare facilities, and facilitating development of sustained capacity for communities to address local healthcare issues.

## **HEALTH SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

1501 Capitol Avenue  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 997413, Mail Stop 0000,  
Sacramento, CA 95899-7413  
Telephone: (916) 440-7400  
Fax: (916) 440-7404  
Web Site: [www.dhs.ca.gov](http://www.dhs.ca.gov)

Works to protect and improve the health of all Californians through services such as BabyCal, the Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment Program, Medi-Cal assistance and Environmental Health Specialist registration.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **HIGH SPEED RAIL AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

925 L Street, Suite 1425  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 324-1541  
Fax: (916) 322-0827  
Web Site: [www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov](http://www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov)

Oversees the planning, design, construction and operation of a proposed high-speed train system.

## **HIGHWAY PATROL, CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF**

2555 1st Avenue  
Sacramento, CA 95818  
Mailing Address: PO Box 942898, Sacramento, CA 94298-0001  
Telephone: (916) 657-7152  
Fax: (916) 657-7324  
Web Site: [www.chp.ca.gov](http://www.chp.ca.gov)

Ensures the safe, convenient, and efficient transportation of people and goods over California's highway system. Provides for the safety and security of state officials, state property, and occupants of state property.

## **HISTORICAL RECORDS ADVISORY BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

1020 "O" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-7715  
Fax: (916) 653-7363  
Web Site: [http://www.ss.ca.gov/archives/level3\\_shrab.html](http://www.ss.ca.gov/archives/level3_shrab.html)  
Email: [ArchivesWeb@ss.ca.gov](mailto:ArchivesWeb@ss.ca.gov)

Advises the Governor on historical records and archives policy and reviews and makes recommendations about grants to the National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

## **HISTORIC STATE CAPITOL COMMISSION**

1020 N Street, Suite 255  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-1377  
Fax: (916) 324-6176

Ensures the appropriate restoration, maintenance, development, and management of the historic and architectural legacy of the State Capitol building and grounds.

## **HOMELAND SECURITY, OFFICE OF**

State Capitol  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 324-8908

Develops and coordinates the implementation of a comprehensive state strategy to coordinate security activities throughout California.

## **HORSE RACING BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95825  
Telephone: (916) 263-6000  
Fax: (916) 263-6042  
Web Site: [www.chrb.ca.gov](http://www.chrb.ca.gov)  
Email: [morya@chrb.ca.gov](mailto:morya@chrb.ca.gov)

Regulates pari-mutuel wagering for the protection of the betting public.

## **HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, DEPARTMENT OF**

1800 3rd Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-4775  
Fax: (916) 324-5107  
Web Site: [www.hcd.ca.gov](http://www.hcd.ca.gov)  
Email: [www.hcd.ca.gov/comments](http://www.hcd.ca.gov/comments)

Provides leadership, policies, and programs to preserve and expand safe and affordable housing opportunities, and to promote strong communities for all Californians.

## **HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY, CALIFORNIA**

PO Box 4034  
Sacramento, CA 95812  
Telephone: (916) 322-3991  
Fax: (916) 324-8640  
Web Site: [www.calhfa.ca.gov](http://www.calhfa.ca.gov)

Serves as the State's affordable housing bank by financing below-market interest rate loans to create safe, decent, affordable rental housing, and to assist first-time homebuyers in achieving the dream of homeownership.

## **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING ADVISORY COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 457  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-3843  
Fax: (916) 653-3241

Assists California businesses in funding capital expenditures for business expansions.

## **INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

455 Golden Gate Avenue, 10th Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: (415) 703-5050  
Fax: (415) 703-5059  
Web Site: [www.dir.ca.gov](http://www.dir.ca.gov)  
Email: [info@dir.ca.gov](mailto:info@dir.ca.gov)

Improves working conditions for California's wage earners, and advances opportunities for profitable employment in California.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **INFRASTRUCTURE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK**

1001 "I" Street, 19th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 2830, Sacramento, CA 95812-2830  
Telephone: (916) 322-1399  
Fax: (916) 322-6314  
Web Site: [www.ibank.ca.gov](http://www.ibank.ca.gov)

Promotes economic growth, quality of life, and revitalization of California communities through low-cost financing of infrastructure and economic development projects.

## **INSPECTOR GENERAL, OFFICE OF THE**

PO Box 348780  
Sacramento, CA 95834-8780  
Business Line: (916) 830-3600  
Hotline: (800) 700-5952  
Fax: (916) 928-5996  
Web Site: [www.oig.ca.gov](http://www.oig.ca.gov)  
Email: [inquire@oig.ca.gov](mailto:inquire@oig.ca.gov)

Investigates allegations of misconduct on the part of state correctional agencies and conducts audits and special reviews of correctional agency institutions and programs.

## **INSURANCE ADVISOR, OFFICE OF THE**

915 Capitol Mall, Suite 200  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 657-5022  
Fax: (916) 653-3815

Responsible for legislative analyses and recommendations to the Governor on pending legislation in the area of insurance.

## **INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

1001 "I" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 4025, Sacramento, CA 95812  
Telephone: (916) 341-6000  
Fax: (916) 319-7396  
Web Site: [www.ciwmb.ca.gov](http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov)  
Email: [opa@ciwmb.ca.gov](mailto:opa@ciwmb.ca.gov)

Protects the public's health, safety, and the environment through management of the solid waste generated in California.

## **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, DIVISION OF**

1102 Q Street, Suite 6000  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 324-5511  
Fax: (916) 324-5791  
Web Site: [www.commerce.ca.gov](http://www.commerce.ca.gov)

Increases California's international commerce by overseeing California trade policy and research, export development, export finance, foreign investment, trade shows and missions, and maintaining overseas offices.

## **JUDICIAL PERFORMANCE, COMMISSION ON**

455 Golden Gate Avenue, Suite 14400  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: 415-557-1200  
Fax: 415-557-1266  
Web Site: <http://cjp.ca.gov/>

Responsible for investigating complaints of judicial misconduct and judicial incapacity and for disciplining judges.

## **LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

416 9th Street, Suite 1311  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 327-9064  
Web Site: [www.labor.ca.gov](http://www.labor.ca.gov)

Coordinates labor and employment programs for workers and businesses.

## **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS TECHNICAL COMMITTEE**

400 R Street, Suite 4000  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-4954  
Fax: (916) 324-2333  
Web Site: [www.latc.ca.gov](http://www.latc.ca.gov)  
Email: [latc@dca.ca.gov](mailto:latc@dca.ca.gov)

Protects the health, safety, and welfare of the public by establishing standards for licensure and enforcing the laws and regulations that govern the practice of landscape architecture in California.

## **LAW REVISION COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

4000 Middlefield Road, Room D-1  
Palo Alto, CA 94303-4739  
Telephone: (650) 494-1335  
Web Site: [www.clrc.ca.gov](http://www.clrc.ca.gov)  
Email: [commission@clrc.ca.gov](mailto:commission@clrc.ca.gov)

Studies the law in order to discover defects and anachronisms and recommends legislation to make needed reforms.

## **LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL, OFFICE OF**

State Capitol, Suite 3021  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 341-8000  
Fax: (916) 341-8020  
Web Site: [www.legislativecounsel.ca.gov](http://www.legislativecounsel.ca.gov)

Drafts legislative proposals, prepares legal opinions, and provides other confidential legal services to the Legislature and others. The office also provides computer services, data networking, and related customer services to the Legislature.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **LIBRARY, CALIFORNIA STATE**

914 Capitol Mall  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-0183  
Fax: (916) 654-0064  
Web Site: [www.library.ca.gov](http://www.library.ca.gov)

California's public research library helps people, their governments, and their libraries meet their knowledge and information needs.

## **LITTLE HOOVER COMMISSION (ORGANIZATION AND ECONOMY, MILTON MARKS COMMISSION ON CALIFORNIA STATE GOVERNMENT)**

925 L Street, Suite 805  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-2125  
Fax: (916) 322-7709  
Web Site: [www.lhc.ca.gov](http://www.lhc.ca.gov)  
Email: [little.hoover@lhc.ca.gov](mailto:little.hoover@lhc.ca.gov)

Recommends to the Governor and the Legislature ways to make state programs more efficient and effective.

## **LOTTERY COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA STATE**

600 North 10th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-7095  
Web Site: [www.calottery.com](http://www.calottery.com)

Oversees the Lottery and ensures its integrity, security and fairness.

## **MANAGED HEALTH CARE, DEPARTMENT OF**

980 9th Street, Suite 500  
Sacramento, CA 95814-2725  
Telephone: (916) 324-8176  
Telephone for HMO Help Center: (888) HMO-2219  
Fax: (916) 322-9430  
Web Site: [www.hmohelp.ca.gov](http://www.hmohelp.ca.gov)

Regulates HMOs and enforces state laws relating to Managed Health Care. Links consumers and their health plans, and works to ensure that they receive preventative treatment and high quality health care according to law. Also includes the HMO Help Center, a 24-hour resource for consumers who need help resolving problems with their health plans.

## **MANAGED RISK MEDICAL INSURANCE BOARD**

1000 G Street, Suite 450  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 324-4695  
Fax: (916) 324-4878  
Web Site: [www.mrmib.ca.gov](http://www.mrmib.ca.gov)

Improves the health of Californians by increasing access to affordable, comprehensive, and quality health care coverage.

## **MANDATES, COMMISSION ON STATE**

980 9th Street, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-3562  
Fax: (916) 445-0278  
Web Site: [www.csm.ca.gov](http://www.csm.ca.gov)  
Email: [csminfo@csm.ca.gov](mailto:csminfo@csm.ca.gov)

Purpose is to carry out three distinct statutory responsibilities: (1) adjudicates test claims of local entities that allege the existence of reimbursable state-mandated programs; (2) hears and decides claims that the Controller has incorrectly reduced payments for reimbursement claims; (3) determines the existence of significant financial distress for applicant counties that seek to reduce their general assistance standards of aid.

## **MEDICAL ASSISTANCE COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

770 L Street, Suite 1000  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 324-2726  
Fax: (916) 324-5597  
Web Site: [www.cmac.ca.gov](http://www.cmac.ca.gov)

Negotiates contracts with managed care plans and hospitals, on behalf of the California Department of Health Services for specific services, under the Medicaid program in California (called Medi-Cal). Promotes efficient and cost-effective Medi-Cal programs through a system of negotiated contracts fostering competition and maintaining access to quality health care for beneficiaries.

## **MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

1426 Howe Avenue, Suite 54  
Sacramento, CA 95825  
Telephone: (916) 263-2499  
Fax: (916) 263-2487  
Web Site: [www.medbd.ca.gov](http://www.medbd.ca.gov)  
Email: [Webmaster@medbd.ca.gov](mailto:Webmaster@medbd.ca.gov)

Licenses physicians and surgeons, and provides two principal types of consumer services: information about physicians and investigation of complaints against physicians.

## **MENTAL HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF**

1600 9th Street, Room 151  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (800) 896-4042  
Fax: (916) 654-3198  
Web Site: [www.dmh.ca.gov](http://www.dmh.ca.gov)

Provides system leadership for state and local county mental health departments, system oversight, evaluation, and monitoring. Administers federal funds. Operates four state hospitals.



# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **MILITARY DEPARTMENT, CALIFORNIA - OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL**

9800 Goethe Road  
Sacramento, CA 95826  
Mailing Address: PO Box 269101, Sacramento, CA 95826  
Telephone: (916) 854-3000  
Fax: (916) 854-3630  
Web Site: [www.calguard.ca.gov](http://www.calguard.ca.gov)

Provides oversight and management of the California National Guard. Controls daily operations of the California Army and Air National Guard, per guidelines set forth by the Department of the Army and Air Force. The three missions of the California National Guard are: Federal—to provide mission-ready forces to defend national security interests and homeland defense; State—to perform public safety missions in support of civil authority as directed by the Governor, to include rapid response to homeland security incidents, natural disasters, and other state emergencies; and Community—Statewide guard units are involved in community-based youth programs, they assist local law enforcement agencies with drug demand reductions, and they participate in various community services projects.

## **MINING AND GEOLOGY BOARD**

801 K Street, MS 20-15  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-1082  
Fax: (916) 445-0738  
Web Site: [www.consrv.ca.gov/smgb](http://www.consrv.ca.gov/smgb)  
Email: [smgb@consrv.ca.gov](mailto:smgb@consrv.ca.gov)

Represents the State's interests in the development, utilization, and conservation of mineral resources; reclaims mined lands; develops geology and seismic hazard information; provides a forum for public redress.

## **MOTOR VEHICLES, DEPARTMENT OF**

2415 1st Avenue  
Sacramento, CA 95818  
Telephone: (916) 657-6940  
Web Site: [www.dmv.ca.gov](http://www.dmv.ca.gov)

Registers vehicles in California and licenses their drivers. Records ownership of the vehicles DMV registers. Maintains driving records of licensed drivers. Issues identification cards. Registers and records ownership of vessels. Licenses and regulates driving and traffic violator schools and instructors, and licenses vehicle manufacturers, transporters, dealers, distributors, vehicle salespeople, and dismantlers. Investigates consumer complaints. Maintains records and collects revenues.

## **NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 364  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-4082  
Fax: (916) 657-5390  
Web Site: [www.nahc.ca.gov](http://www.nahc.ca.gov)  
Email: [nahc@pacbell.net](mailto:nahc@pacbell.net)

Protects Native American burials from vandalism and inadvertent destruction, and provides a procedure for the notification of decedents about the discovery of Native American human remains and associated grave goods. Brings legal action to prevent severe and irreparable damage to sacred shrines, ceremonial sites, sanctified cemeteries, and places of worship on public property. Maintains an inventory of sacred places.

## **NEW MOTOR VEHICLE BOARD**

1507 21st Street, Suite 330  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-2080  
Fax: (916) 323-1632  
Web Site: [www.nmvp.ca.gov](http://www.nmvp.ca.gov)  
Email: [nmvp@pacbell.net](mailto:nmvp@pacbell.net)

Responsible for resolving disputes between vehicle manufacturers and franchised dealerships. Also has a consumer mediation program.

## **NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATOR PROGRAM**

1615 Capitol Avenue, MS 3302  
Sacramento, CA 95814-5015  
Mailing Address: PO Box 997416, MS 3302, Sacramento, CA 95899-7416  
Telephone: (916) 552-8780  
FAX: (916) 552-8777  
Web Site: [www.dhs.ca.gov/lnc/NHAP/default.htm](http://www.dhs.ca.gov/lnc/NHAP/default.htm)  
Email: [NHAP@dhs.ca.gov](mailto:NHAP@dhs.ca.gov)

Assures that the health, safety, security and rights of the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) and Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) residents are safeguarded by setting standards for licensing of Nursing Home Administrators (NHAs), administering a training program for NHAs, testing and issuing licenses, and administering an enforcement program for disciplinary action against NHAs.

## **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH APPEALS BOARD**

2520 Venture Oaks Way, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 274-5751  
Fax: (916) 274-5785 or 5786  
Web Site: [www.dir.ca.gov/oshappeals/](http://www.dir.ca.gov/oshappeals/)  
Email: [oshappeals@dir.ca.gov](mailto:oshappeals@dir.ca.gov)

Handles appeals from private and public sector employers regarding citations issued by the Division of Occupational Safety and Health for alleged violations of workplace safety and health laws and regulations.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

2520 Venture Oaks Way, Suite 350  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 274-5721  
Fax: (916) 274-5743  
Web Site: [www.dir.ca.gov/OSHSB/oshsb.html](http://www.dir.ca.gov/OSHSB/oshsb.html)  
Email: [oshsb@dir.ca.gov](mailto:oshsb@dir.ca.gov)

Promotes, adopts, and maintains reasonable and enforceable standards that will ensure a safe and healthful workplace for California workers.

## **OPTOMETRY, BOARD OF**

400 R Street, Suite 4090  
Sacramento, CA 95814-6200  
Telephone: (916) 323-8720  
Fax: (916) 445-8711  
Web Site: [www.optometry.ca.gov](http://www.optometry.ca.gov)  
Email: [optometry@dca.ca.gov](mailto:optometry@dca.ca.gov)

Assures that Californians have access to appropriate high quality eye and vision care, implements and promotes fair and just laws and regulations protecting the health and safety of consumers.

## **OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

2720 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 350  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-3100  
Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov/osteopathic](http://www.dca.ca.gov/osteopathic)

Protects consumers and promotes the highest professional standards in the practice of osteopathic medicine. Licenses osteopathic physicians and surgeons, investigates consumer complaints and uses its enforcement power to ensure practitioners abide by the provisions of the state Business and Professions Code/Medical Practice Act.

## **PARKS AND RECREATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

1416 9th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-8380  
Fax: (916) 657-3903  
Web Site: [www.parks.ca.gov](http://www.parks.ca.gov)

Acquires, develops, and operates units of the State Park System for the people of California. Preserves and administers state recreation areas, parks, historic parks, historical monuments, beaches, and reserves. Provides camping, picnicking, boating, riding and hiking trails, naturalist services, and administers concessions.

## **PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION, STATE**

PO Box 942896  
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001  
Telephone: (916) 653-0524  
Fax: (916) 653-4458  
Web Site: [www.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page\\_id=843](http://www.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=843)  
Email: [LNastro@parks.ca.gov](mailto:LNastro@parks.ca.gov) (Commission business inquiries); [info@parks.ca.gov](mailto:info@parks.ca.gov) (general California State Parks inquiries)

Approves general plans for units of the State Park System, classifies units of the system, establishes general policies for the guidance of the Director of State Parks in the administration, protection, and development the System, and recommends to the Director a comprehensive recreation policy for the state.

## **PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

1515 S Street, Suite 400 North  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-0455  
Fax: (916) 327-0568  
Web Site: [www.dpa.ca.gov](http://www.dpa.ca.gov)  
Email: [dpa@dpa.ca.gov](mailto:dpa@dpa.ca.gov)

Represents the Governor as the "employer" in all matters concerning California State personnel employer-employee relations. Ensures the proper administration of existing terms and conditions of employment for the State's civil service employees. Responsible for all issues related to collective bargaining, including salaries and benefits, job classifications, and training. Administers the personnel classification plans and develops the compensation plan, including terms and conditions of employment. Develops and implements the training plan for the State's management team and employees not represented in the collective bargaining process.

## **PERSONNEL BOARD, STATE**

801 Capitol Mall, #570  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-1028  
Fax: (916) 653-8147  
Web Site: [www.spb.ca.gov](http://www.spb.ca.gov)  
Email: [www.spb.ca.gov](http://www.spb.ca.gov)

Provides guidance and direction to the civil service system and ensures that appointments and promotions are based on merit as required by the California Constitution. Adopts and approves policies and regulations to guide the administration of the civil service outreach, recruitment, selection, promotion, and classification systems. Reviews and adjudicates a variety of employee, applicant, and citizen complaints.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **PESTICIDE REGULATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

1001 "I" Street, 4th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 4015, Sacramento, CA 95812-4015  
Telephone: (916) 445-4300  
Fax: (916) 324-1452  
Web Site: [www.cdpr.ca.gov](http://www.cdpr.ca.gov)  
Email: [webmaster@cdpr.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@cdpr.ca.gov)

Protects human health and the environment by regulating pesticide sales and use, and by fostering reduced-risk pest management.

## **PILOT COMMISSIONERS, BOARD OF**

Pier 9, Suite 102  
San Francisco, CA 94111  
Telephone: (415) 397-2253  
Fax: (415) 397-9463

Provides State oversight for the San Francisco Bar Pilots.

## **PHARMACY, BOARD OF**

400 R Street, Suite 4070  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-5014  
Fax: (916) 327-6308  
Web Site: [www.pharmacy.ca.gov](http://www.pharmacy.ca.gov)

Establishes and enforces rules and regulations which define standards in the practice of pharmacy and the other occupations regulated by the Board, including any site where dangerous drugs and devices are compounded, stored, prepared, or sold.

## **PLANNING AND RESEARCH, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF**

1400 10th Street, Room 100  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 3044, Sacramento 95812-3044  
Telephone: (916) 322-2318  
Web Site: [www.opr.ca.gov](http://www.opr.ca.gov)

Assists the Governor and the Administration in land-use planning, research, and liaison with local government; small business advocacy; rural policy; environmental justice; renewable energy research and support; innovation in government; service, volunteerism, and mentoring; policy and legislative research and support; community vitalization and development; and coordination of interagency task forces.

## **PODIATRIC MEDICINE, BOARD OF**

1420 Howe Avenue, Suite 8  
Sacramento, CA 95825-3229  
Telephone: (916) 263-2647  
Fax: (916) 263-2651  
Web Site: [www.bpm.ca.gov](http://www.bpm.ca.gov)  
Email: [bpm@dca.ca.gov](mailto:bpm@dca.ca.gov)

Protects consumers by setting and enforcing standards and by providing accurate and timely information that allows consumers to make sound decisions regarding foot and ankle care.

## **POLLUTION CONTROL FINANCING AUTHORITY, CALIFORNIA**

915 Capitol Mall, Room 457  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-5610  
Fax: (916) 657-4821

Provides financing for pollution control facilities to aid in meeting environmental standards.

## **POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

1303 J Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-7933  
Fax: (916) 327-4417  
Web Site: [www.cpec.ca.gov](http://www.cpec.ca.gov)

Provides the Legislative and the Executive branches of government with advice on, and information about, major policy and planning issues concerning education beyond high school.

## **PRISON INDUSTRY AUTHORITY**

560 East Natoma Street  
Folsom, CA 95630-2200  
Telephone: (916) 358-2696  
Web Site: [www.pia.ca.gov](http://www.pia.ca.gov)

Provides productive work assignments for inmates in California's adult correctional institutions to reduce idleness and improve job skills. Operates service, manufacturing, and agricultural industries in prisons throughout California.

## **PRISON INDUSTRY BOARD**

560 East Natoma Street  
Folsom, CA 95630-2200  
Telephone: (916) 358-2677  
Web Site: [www.pia.ca.gov/piawebdev/pia\\_board.html](http://www.pia.ca.gov/piawebdev/pia_board.html)

Sets general policy for the Prison Industries Authority, oversees the performance of existing prison industries, and determines which new industries shall be established.

## **PRISON TERMS, BOARD OF**

1515 K Street, Suite 600  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-4072  
Fax: (916) 445-5242  
Web Site: [www.bpt.ca.gov](http://www.bpt.ca.gov)

Conducts parole consideration hearings for all adult inmates sentenced to life terms with the possibility of parole. Investigates and makes recommendations, at the request of the Governor, on all applications for reprieves, pardons, and commutations of sentence, including death penalty commutations.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS, BOARD FOR**

2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-2230  
Fax: (916) 263-2221  
Web Site: [www.dca.ca.gov/pels](http://www.dca.ca.gov/pels)  
Email: [BORPEL@dca.ca.gov](mailto:BORPEL@dca.ca.gov)

Assures the protection of the general public through the licensing, enforcement, and educational outreach of engineers and land surveyors.

## **PSYCHOLOGY, BOARD OF**

1422 Howe Avenue, Suite 22  
Sacramento, CA 95825-3200  
Telephone: (916) 263-2699  
Fax: (916) 263-2697  
Web Site: [www.psychboard.ca.gov](http://www.psychboard.ca.gov)  
Email: [bopmail@dca.ca.gov](mailto:bopmail@dca.ca.gov)

Assures the protection of consumers of psychological services through its licensing, enforcement, promotion of continuing education of licensed psychologists, and outreach programs.

## **PUBLIC DEFENDER, STATE**

221 Main Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
Telephone: (415) 904-5600  
Fax: (415) 904-5635  
Web Site: [www.ospd.ca.gov](http://www.ospd.ca.gov)

Provides representation for defendants in state appellate courts.

## **PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CALPERS), CALIFORNIA**

400 P Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 326-3000  
Fax: (916) 326-3410  
Web Site: [www.calpers.ca.gov](http://www.calpers.ca.gov)

Provides retirement and health benefits to state and local public employees, retirees, and their families.

## **PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD**

1031 18th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-3198  
Web Site: [www.perb.ca.gov](http://www.perb.ca.gov)

Administers the collective bargaining statutes covering employees of California's public schools, colleges, and universities, employees of the State of California, employees of California local public agencies (cities, counties and special districts), and supervisory employees of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority.

## **PUBLIC SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION, OFFICE OF**

1130 K Street, Suite 400  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-3377  
Fax: (916) 324-0623  
Web Site: [www.opsc.dgs.ca.gov](http://www.opsc.dgs.ca.gov)

Implements and administers the school facility program and other programs of the State Allocation Board; prepares recommendations for the State Allocation Board's review and approval; facilitates the processing of school applications and makes funding available to qualifying school districts.

## **PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: (415) 703-2782  
Fax: (415) 703-1758  
Web Site: [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov)

Regulates privately owned telecommunications, electric, natural gas, water, railroad, rail transit, and passenger transportation companies. Assures California utility customers have safe, reliable utility service at reasonable rates, protects utility customers from fraud.

## **REAL ESTATE, DEPARTMENT OF**

2201 Broadway  
Sacramento, CA 95818  
Telephone: (916) 227-0782  
Fax: (916) 227-0777  
Web Site: [www.dre.ca.gov](http://www.dre.ca.gov)

Administers laws and regulations applicable to: (1) licensing and regulation of real estate brokers and salespersons, (2) offerings of subdivided lands, (3) mortgage loan brokerage activities, and (4) the Real Estate Recovery Fund.

## **REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS, OFFICE OF**

1102 Q Street, Suite 4100  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 552-9000  
Fax: (916) 440-7406  
Web Site: [www.orea.ca.gov](http://www.orea.ca.gov)

Protects public safety by ensuring the competency and integrity of licensed real estate appraisers.

## **RECLAMATION BOARD**

3310 El Camino Avenue, Room LL60  
Sacramento, CA 95821  
Telephone: (916) 574-0609  
Fax: (916) 574-0682  
Web Site: [www.recbd.ca.gov](http://www.recbd.ca.gov)

Controls flooding along the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers and their tributaries in cooperation with the US Army Corps of Engineers. Cooperates with various agencies of the federal, state and local governments in establishing, planning, constructing, operating, and maintaining flood control works.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **REGISTERED NURSING, BOARD OF**

400 R Street, Suite 4030  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 322-3350; TDD: (916) 322-1700  
Fax: (916) 327-4402  
Web Site: [www.rn.ca.gov](http://www.rn.ca.gov)

Regulates the practice of registered nurses by setting RN educational standards; approving nursing programs; evaluating licensure applications; issuing and renewing licenses and certificates; and taking disciplinary action.

## **REHABILITATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

2000 Evergreen Street  
Sacramento, CA 95815  
Telephone: (916) 263-7365  
Fax: (916) 263-7474  
Web Site: [www.dor.ca.gov](http://www.dor.ca.gov)

Works in partnership with consumers and other stakeholders to provide services and advocacy resulting in employment, independent living, and equality for individuals with disabilities.

## **RESOURCES AGENCY**

1416 9th Street, Suite 1311  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-5656  
Web Site: [www.resources.ca.gov](http://www.resources.ca.gov)

Restores, protects, and manages the state's natural, historical and cultural resources.

## **SAFE-BIDCO (ASSISTANCE FUND FOR ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORP, STATE)**

1211 North Dutton Avenue, Suite D  
Santa Rosa, CA 95401  
Telephone: (707) 577-8621  
Fax: (707) 577-7348  
Web Site: [www.safe-bidco.com](http://www.safe-bidco.com)

Provides economic development financing for existing and start-up businesses.

## **SAN FRANCISCO BAY CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

50 California Street, Suite 2600  
San Francisco, CA 94111  
Telephone: (415) 352-3600  
Fax: (415) 352-3606  
Web Site: [www.bcdc.ca.gov](http://www.bcdc.ca.gov)  
Email: [info@bcdc.ca.gov](mailto:info@bcdc.ca.gov)

Maintains a plan for the overall protection and use of the San Francisco Bay, and regulates development and other activities in the Bay and along the Bay shoreline.

## **SAN JOAQUIN RIVER CONSERVANCY**

5469 East Olive  
Fresno, CA 93727  
Telephone: (559) 253-7324  
Fax: (559) 253-7327  
Web Site: [http://ceres.ca.gov/wetlands/introduction/san\\_joaquin.html](http://ceres.ca.gov/wetlands/introduction/san_joaquin.html)  
Email: [sjrconservancy@psnw.com](mailto:sjrconservancy@psnw.com)

Acquires and manages public lands within the San Joaquin River Parkway with the goal of providing recreational and educational opportunities, and wildlife protection.

## **SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY**

5750 Ramirez Canyon Road  
Malibu, CA 90265  
Telephone: (310) 589-3200  
Web Site: [www.smmc.ca.gov](http://www.smmc.ca.gov)

Preserves, protects, restores, and enhances lands in Southern California in order to form an interlinking system of urban, rural and river parks, open space, trails, and wildlife habitats.

## **SCIENCE CENTER, CALIFORNIA**

700 State Drive  
Los Angeles, CA 90037  
Telephone: (213) 744-3623 or 323-SCIENCE  
Fax: (213) 744-2034  
Web Site: [www.casciencctr.org](http://www.casciencctr.org)  
Email: [4info@casciencctr.org](mailto:4info@casciencctr.org)

A science education facility designed to stimulate curiosity and inspire science learning. Offers exhibits, educational programs, and interactive programs.

## **SEISMIC SAFETY COMMISSION**

1755 Creekside Oaks Drive, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-5506  
Fax: (916) 263-0594  
Web Site: [www.seismic.ca.gov](http://www.seismic.ca.gov)  
Email: [celli@stateseismeic.com](mailto:celli@stateseismeic.com)

Advises the Governor, Legislature, state and local agencies, and the public about strategies to reduce earthquake risk. Investigates earthquakes, researches earthquake-related issues, and evaluates and recommends to the Governor and Legislature policies and programs needed to reduce earthquake risk.

## **SOCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

744 P Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-6994  
Web site: [www.dss.cahwnet.gov](http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov)  
Email: [piar@dss.ca.gov](mailto:piar@dss.ca.gov)

Serves, aids, and protects needy and vulnerable children and adults to help strengthen and preserve families.



# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## STATE AND CONSUMER SERVICES AGENCY

915 Capitol Mall, Suite 200  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-2636  
Fax: (916) 653-3815  
Web Site: [www.scsa.ca.gov](http://www.scsa.ca.gov)

Responsible for civil rights enforcement, consumer protection, and professional licensing. Handles procurement of goods and services, the management and development of state real estate, oversight of two state employee pension funds, collection of state taxes, hiring of state employees, adoption of state building standards, and the administration of the California Science Center and the California African American Museum.

## STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

180 Howard Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
Telephone: (415) 538-2000

Complaints About Attorneys: (800) 843-9053

Web Site: [www.calbar.ca.gov](http://www.calbar.ca.gov)

Helps to shape the development of law, regulates the professional conduct of the state's lawyers, and provides greater access to the California justice system.

## STATE INDEPENDENT LIVING COUNCIL

1600 K Street, Suite 100  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-0142  
Fax: (916) 445-5973

Maximizes options for the independence of persons with disabilities.

## STATE LANDS COMMISSION

100 Howe Avenue, Suite 100-South  
Sacramento, CA 95825-8202  
Telephone: (916) 574-1800  
Fax: (916) 574-1810  
Web Site: [www.slc.ca.gov](http://www.slc.ca.gov)

Provides stewardship of the lands, waterways, and resources entrusted to its care through economic development, protection, preservation, and restoration.

## STATE UNIVERSITY, CALIFORNIA

Office of the Chancellor  
401 Golden Shore  
Long Beach, CA 90802-4210  
Telephone: (562) 951-4000  
Web Site: [www.calstate.edu](http://www.calstate.edu)

Provides high-quality, accessible, student-focused higher education.

## STATUS OF WOMEN, COMMISSION ON THE

1303 J Street, Suite 400  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-3173  
Web Site: [www.women.ca.gov](http://www.women.ca.gov)  
Email: [info@women.ca.gov](mailto:info@women.ca.gov)

Promotes equality and justice for all women and girls by advocating on their behalf with the Governor, the Legislature and other public policymakers, and by educating the public in the areas of economic equity including educational equity, access to health care including reproductive choice, violence against women and other key issues identified by the Commission as significantly affecting women and girls.

## STEPHEN P. TEALE DATA CENTER

3101 Gold Camp Drive  
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670  
Mailing Address: PO Box 1810, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-1810  
Telephone: (916) 464-1039  
Fax: (916) 464-4303  
Web Site: [www.teale.ca.gov](http://www.teale.ca.gov)

Provides California government agencies with information technology services.

## STUDENT AID COMMISSION

110811 International Drive, Second Floor  
Rancho Cordova, CA 95741  
Mailing Address: PO Box 419026, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741-9026  
Telephone: (916) 526-8999  
Fax: (916) 526-8033  
Web Site: [www.csac.ca.gov](http://www.csac.ca.gov)  
Email: [custsvcs@csac.ca.gov](mailto:custsvcs@csac.ca.gov)

Administers a comprehensive program of student grants, educational loans, and other special financial aid programs for low and middle-income students in California colleges, universities, and other postsecondary institutions. Also conducts student financial aid research, disseminates information statewide about aid programs, and reports to the Governor, Legislature, and postsecondary schools about all aspects of student aid for higher education.

## SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA

350 McAllister Street  
San Francisco, CA 94102-3600  
Telephone: (415) 865-7000  
Web Site: [www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/supreme](http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/supreme)

The Supreme Court of California is the state's highest court. Its decisions are binding on all other California state courts. The court conducts regular sessions in San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Sacramento; it may also hold special sessions elsewhere.

# CALIFORNIA STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (CONT.)

## **TAHOE CONSERVANCY, CALIFORNIA**

2161 Lake Tahoe Boulevard, Suite 2  
South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150  
Telephone: (530) 542-5580  
Fax: (530) 542-5591  
Web Site: [www.tahoicons.ca.gov](http://www.tahoicons.ca.gov)

Acquires, restores, and/or manages land through direct activities and grants for the purposes of protecting the natural environment, providing public access, recreational opportunities, and preserving wildlife habitat at Lake Tahoe.

## **TEACHER CREDENTIALING, COMMISSION ON**

1900 Capitol Avenue  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-7254  
Fax: (916) 445-0800  
Web Site: [www.ctc.ca.gov](http://www.ctc.ca.gov)  
Email: [credentials@ctc.ca.gov](mailto:credentials@ctc.ca.gov)

Ensures that teachers are academically and professionally prepared.

## **TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CalSTRS), STATE**

7667 Folsom Boulevard, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95826  
Telephone: (916) 229-3700  
Fax: (916) 229-3704  
Web Site: [www.calstrs.com](http://www.calstrs.com)

Administers retirement, disability, and survivor benefits for California's public school educators.

## **TECHNOLOGY AND COMMERCE**

California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency  
7080 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 900  
Hollywood, CA 90028  
Telephone: (626) 422-5581  
Fax: (323) 860-2972  
Web Site: [www.commerce.ca.gov](http://www.commerce.ca.gov)

Assists in the development of globally competitive technology-based products and services.

## **TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL, DEPARTMENT OF**

1001 "I" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 806, Sacramento, CA 95812-0806  
Telephone: (916) 324-1826  
Fax: (916) 327-0978  
Web Site: [www.dtsc.ca.gov](http://www.dtsc.ca.gov)

Protects public health and the environment from harmful exposure to hazardous substances.

## **TRAFFIC SAFETY, CALIFORNIA OFFICE OF**

7000 Franklin Boulevard, Suite 440  
Sacramento, CA 95823-1899  
Telephone: (916) 262-0990  
Fax: (916) 262-2960  
Web Site: [www.ots.ca.gov](http://www.ots.ca.gov)

Obtains and administers traffic safety grant funds to reduce deaths, injuries and economic losses resulting from traffic related collisions.

## **TRANSPORTATION (CALTRANS), DEPARTMENT OF**

1120 N Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-5266  
Fax: (916) 654-6608  
Web Site: [www.dot.ca.gov](http://www.dot.ca.gov)

Operates a multi-modal transportation system that includes highways and an inter-city network of passenger trains. Also, oversees programs such as aeronautics, mass transportation planning, traffic operations and management, and assistance to local and regional transportation agencies.

## **TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

1120 N Street, Suite 2221, MS-52  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 654-4245  
Fax: (916) 653-2134  
Web Site: [www.catc.ca.gov](http://www.catc.ca.gov)

Programs and allocates funds for the construction of highway, passenger rail and transit improvements throughout California. Advises and assists the Secretary of Business, Transportation and Housing Agency and the Legislature in formulating and evaluating state policies and plans for California's transportation programs.

## **TRAVEL AND TOURISM COMMISSION, CALIFORNIA**

980 9th Street, Suite 480  
Sacramento, CA 95814-2722  
Mailing Address: PO Box 1499, Sacramento, CA 95812-1499  
Telephone: (916) 444-4429; 800-GO-CALIF  
Web Site: [www.visitcalifornia.com](http://www.visitcalifornia.com)  
Email: [info@cttc1.com](mailto:info@cttc1.com)

Seeks to increase tourism to and within California. Administers "Welcome Centers" statewide.

## **UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE APPEALS BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

2400 Venture Oaks, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-6783  
Fax: (916) 263-6836  
Web Site: [www.cuiab.ca.gov](http://www.cuiab.ca.gov)

Conducts hearings of cases concerning claims for unemployment and disability benefits.

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## **UNIFORM STATE LAWS, CALIFORNIA COMMISSION ON**

State Capitol, Room 3021  
Sacramento, CA 95814-4996  
Telephone: (916) 341-8005  
Fax: (916) 341-8020

In conjunction with other states, drafts and presents to the Legislature uniform laws deemed desirable and practicable for the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws for adoption by the various states.

## **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

1111 Franklin Street, 12th Floor  
Oakland, CA 94607-5200  
Telephone: (510) 987-0700  
Fax: (510) 987-9224  
Web Site: [www.universityofcalifornia.edu](http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu)

Trains and educates the scientists, teachers, researchers, entrepreneurs, and other skilled workers that fuel innovation and knowledge in technology and industry.

## **VETERANS AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF**

1227 "O" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: 800-952-5626; and (TDD) 800-324-5966  
Web Site: [www.cdva.ca.gov](http://www.cdva.ca.gov)

Provides California veterans and their families with aid and assistance in presenting their claims for veterans' benefits under the laws of the United States; provides veterans with beneficial opportunities through direct low-cost loans to acquire farms and homes; provides the state's aged or disabled veterans with rehabilitative, residential, and medical care and services in a home-like environment at the California Veterans Homes.

## **VICTIM COMPENSATION AND GOVERNMENT CLAIMS BOARD**

**(Formerly known as State Board of Control)**

630 K Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-3432 or 1-800-777-9229  
Fax: (916) 322-1487  
Web Site: [www.boc.ca.gov](http://www.boc.ca.gov)  
Email: [info@voc.ca.gov](mailto:info@voc.ca.gov)

Helps victims of violent crime and their families deal with the emotional, physical, and financial aftermath of crime.

## **VOCATIONAL NURSING AND PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIANS, BOARD OF**

2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, #205  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
Telephone: (916) 263-7800  
Fax: (916) 263-7859  
Web Site: [www.bvnpt.ca.gov](http://www.bvnpt.ca.gov)  
Email: [webmaster@bvnpt.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@bvnpt.ca.gov)

Ensures that only qualified persons are licensed as vocational nurses and psychiatric technicians by enforcing education requirements, standards of practice, and by educating consumers of their rights.

## **WATER RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF**

1416 9th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 653-5791  
Fax: (916) 653-5028  
Web Site: [www.dwr.water.ca.gov](http://www.dwr.water.ca.gov)

Prepares and updates the California Water Plan. Plans, designs, constructs, operates, and maintains the State Water Resources Development System. Protects and restores the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Regulates dams, provides flood protection, and assists in emergency management to safeguard life and property. Educates the public and serves local water needs by providing technical assistance; cooperating with local agencies on water resources investigations; supporting watershed and river restoration programs; encouraging water conservation; exploring conjunctive use of ground and surface water; facilitating voluntary water transfers; and operating a State drought water bank.

## **WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD, STATE**

1001 "I" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Mailing Address: PO Box 100, Sacramento, CA 95812-0100  
Telephone: (916) 341-5254  
Fax: (916) 341-5252  
Web Site: [www.swrcb.ca.gov](http://www.swrcb.ca.gov)  
Email: [webmaster@swrcb.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@swrcb.ca.gov)

Ensures the highest reasonable quality of waters of the state, while allocating those waters to achieve optimum balance of beneficial uses.

## **WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD (DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME)**

1807 13th Street, Suite 103  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 445-8448  
Fax: (916) 323-0280  
Web Site: [www.dfg.ca.gov/wcb/index.html](http://www.dfg.ca.gov/wcb/index.html)

A separate and independent Board with authority and funding to carry out an acquisition and development program for wildlife conservation

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## **WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD**

455 Golden Gate Avenue, #9328  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Telephone: (415) 703-4580  
Fax: (415) 703-4549  
Web Site: [www.dir.ca.gov/wcab/wcab.htm](http://www.dir.ca.gov/wcab/wcab.htm)

Provides guidance and leadership to the workers' compensation community.

## **WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD, CALIFORNIA**

777 12th Street, Suite 200  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Phone: (916) 324-3427  
Fax: (916) 324-3068  
Web Site: [www.calwia.org](http://www.calwia.org)  
Email: [mail@calwia.org](mailto:mail@calwia.org)

Advises and assists in planning, coordinating, and implementing the provisions of California's workforce development programs and services.

## **YOUTH AND ADULT CORRECTIONAL AGENCY**

1515 15th Street, Room 520  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
Telephone: (916) 323-6001  
Web Site: [www.yaca.ca.gov](http://www.yaca.ca.gov)

Develops and implements effective and innovative correctional policy; creates a coordinated correctional system that is responsive to the citizen's right to public safety and governmental accountability.

## **YOUTH AUTHORITY, DEPARTMENT OF THE**

4241 Williamsborough Drive  
Sacramento, CA 95823  
Telephone: (916) 262-1480  
Fax: (916) 262-1767  
Web Site: [www.cya.ca.gov](http://www.cya.ca.gov)  
Email: [webmaster@cya.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@cya.ca.gov)

Works closely with law enforcement, the courts, prosecutors, probation and a broad spectrum of public and private agencies concerned with and involved in youth problems.

## **YOUTH AUTHORITY BOARD**

3336 Bradshaw Road, Suite 255  
Sacramento, CA 95827  
Telephone: (916) 255-4495  
Fax: (916) 255-4410  
Web Site: [www.yopb.ca.gov](http://www.yopb.ca.gov)

The Board is the paroling authority for youthful offenders statewide who have been committed by the courts to the California Youth Authority (CYA). The Board holds hearings to consider recommendations by CYA staff for the release of a ward from a facility to the community under specific conditions and parole supervision; for revocation or suspension of parole; and for determination of the date of the youth's next appearance before the Board in some cases.